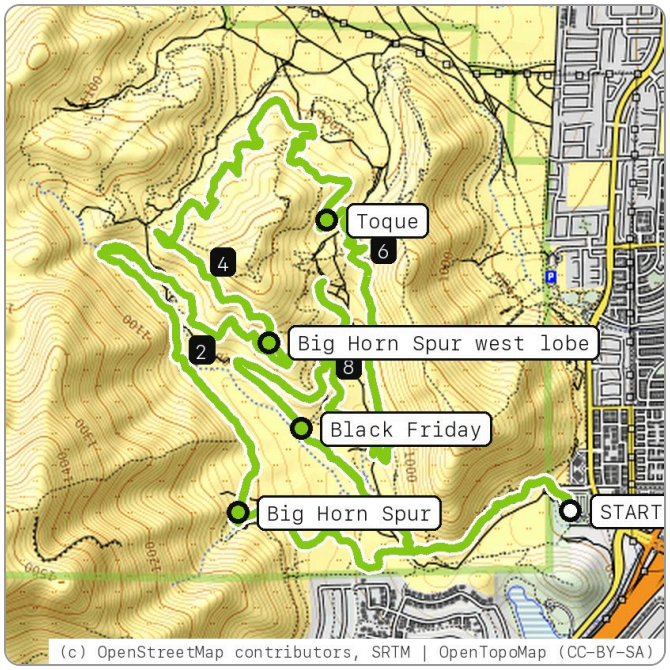
RIDE 27 · CLIFF SHADOWS / LA MADRE FOOTHILLS · INTERMEDIATE ·

Spur Line

All of Big Horn Spur in one go, from the Bandana trails north to the far western lobe, then a long roll back down Black Friday.

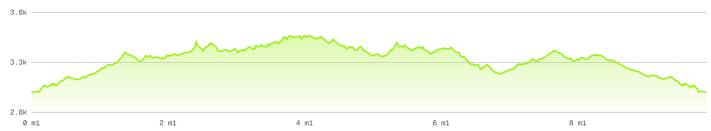
Good to ride today. High 64°F, dry trail.

⚠ **Not yet ridden by us.** This line was routed from OpenStreetMap trail data and hasn't been ridden end to end yet. Trail access and direction can change: check posted signs and the land manager before you ride.



10.5	1,959	3,517
MILES	FT CLIMB	FT HIGH POINT
1:45	**Low**	
EST. MOVING	CHUNK (0%)	

singletrack 98% · dirt road 2% · pavement 0%



Get the GPS file

Scan with a friend's phone, or tap below. Then open it in your ride app.

https://bsqrd-designs.com/dirt/spur-line/

GETTING THERE

Park at Buckskin Cliff Shadows Park trailhead

West end of W Cheyenne Ave at Cliff Shadows Pkwy, Las Vegas, NV 89129

- City park lot with restrooms. The dirt starts at the west edge of the park.
- Start and finish are the same spot. Follow the cue sheet and the arrows on the map.

CUE SHEET

0.0	Street PAVEMENT	0.1 mi
0.1	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK via Big Horn Spur	1.3 mi
1.5	Big Horn Spur SINGLETRACK via Big Horn Spur west lobe	3.9 mi
5.4	Toque SINGLETRACK	0.8 mi
6.2	Singletrack connector SINGLETRACK via Black Friday	4.2 mi
10.5	Back at Buckskin Cliff Shadows Park trailhead	

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Most of the climbing is in the first four miles on Big Horn Spur, which wanders north and west through the middle of the trail system.
- From the top of the Spur, a short piece of Toque links you to Black Friday, and the last three miles are mostly downhill back toward Cheyenne.
- Rocky but less ledgy than No Dab or Toque (Technical). The short Toque (Technical) stretch next to the lot is the roughest part.
- Several closed social trails cross Big Horn Spur. Stay on the main line and skip anything signed for restoration.

RIDE SMART

- **Water:** plan on about 1.5 L for this ride. There's none on the trail.
- **Signal is spotty.** Tell someone your route and your time back.
- **Emergency:** call 911 and say "Spur Line ride, parked at Buckskin Cliff Shadows Park trailhead, Cliff Shadows / La Madre Foothills", plus the coordinates from Locate me.
- **Wildlife:** give horses, burros and anything with horns room, and never feed them.
- **Stay on trail.** Desert crust and mountain soil take decades to heal.